

On Page 1, Paragraph 1:

This application is related to U.S. Patent No. 5,790,548, entitled Universal Access Multimedia Network, issued August 4, 1998, application Serial No. 08/634,543, entitled Internet Telephone Service, filed April 18, 1996 and U.S. Patent No. 6,069,890, entitled Internet Telephone System, issued May 30, 2000. The specification of the application and patents are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

On Page 7, Paragraph 4:

The commonly assigned application Serial No. 08/634,543 and U.S. Patent No. 6,069,890, identified more particularly above, are concerned with providing telephone service via the Internet to users of the public telecommunications network who may not have access to a computer or separate telephone access to the Internet. Such service would be economical, especially for long distance calls, compared with the toll rates charged by long distance interexchange carriers.

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested. Claim 1, 2, 4-21, 23 and 24 are currently pending and stand rejected by the Examiner. No new matter has been added.